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Docket No. AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER 108298728US Art Unit Filing Date Application No. Examiner 10/636,132-Conf. #2394 August 6, 2003 F. L. Stinson 1746 Applicant(s): Hickman et al. PHOTOLITHOGRAPHIC STEPPER AND/OR SCANNER MACHINES INCLUDING Invention: CLEANING DEVICES AND METHODS OF CLEANING PHOTOLITHOGRAPHIC STEPPER AND/OR SCANNER MACHINE TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below. **CLAIMS AS AMENDED** Claims Highest Remaining Number Number After Previously **Extra Claims** Amendment Present Rate Paid 50.00 0.00 **Total Claims** 55 Independent 200.00 0.00 5 10 0 х Claims Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) Other fee (please specify): TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT: 0.00 **Small Entity** x Large Entity x No additional fee is required for this amendment. Please charge Deposit Account No. in the amount of \$ A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$ to cover the filing fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. 50-0665 x The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. as described below. x Credit any overpayment. Charge any/additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17. Dated: October 24, 2006 David T. Dutcher Attorney/Agent Reg. No.: 51,638 PERKINS COIE LLP P.O. Box 1247 Seattle, Washington 98111-1247 (206) 359-8000

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Sir:

The present communication responds to the Office Action dated July 24, 2006 in the above-identified application. Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2.